

Table 11. Purpose of Computer Use at Work for People 18 Years and Over Using a Computer at Work, by Occupation and Industry: September 2001  
(Numbers in thousands. Civilian noninstitutional population)

Characteristics	Total people 18 years and over using a computer at work	Percent						
		Word processing	Internet and e-mail	Scheduling	Spreadsheets	Graphics and design	Programming	Other purpose
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>72,566</b>	<b>67.2</b>	<b>72.1</b>	<b>53.1</b>	<b>62.5</b>	<b>28.9</b>	<b>15.3</b>	<b>13.0</b>
<b>OCCUPATION</b>								
Managerial and professional	33,726	78.3	82.7	60.7	70.3	37.2	18.7	11.0
Technicians, sales, and clerical	26,094	62.9	67.7	48.6	60.0	22.5	12.5	13.0
Service occupations	4,136	54.0	52.4	46.9	44.7	17.8	9.0	17.9
Precision production, craft, and repair	4,466	46.4	59.7	45.3	51.5	23.5	17.4	17.5
Machine operators, transportation, and laborers	3,473	35.6	43.1	32.4	41.1	16.9	9.6	20.7
Farming, forestry, and fishing	670	60.7	67.5	43.7	60.7	21.8	10.8	12.5
<b>INDUSTRY</b>								
Agriculture, forestry, and fisheries	934	64.9	66.2	45.0	64.4	23.9	9.9	13.2
Mining	256	64.5	75.4	53.3	76.1	29.7	21.4	9.2
Construction	2,553	65.2	67.4	52.5	66.5	32.4	16.1	12.4
Manufacturing	9,423	64.0	73.6	53.5	66.5	34.8	19.7	12.0
Transportation, communications, and utilities	5,133	57.7	71.7	55.3	62.6	23.9	15.2	13.9
Wholesale and retail trade	11,531	52.0	58.8	45.1	54.7	21.6	11.3	17.0
Finance, insurance, and real estate	7,063	73.4	82.0	57.4	69.9	25.6	14.6	10.2
Service industry	31,139	72.9	74.3	54.6	61.8	31.8	16.0	12.6
Public administration	4,534	75.7	76.6	55.5	63.2	24.0	13.5	11.6

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey, September 2001.  
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